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Ravi Rajwar, James R. Goodman

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2 Fast detection of communication patterns in distributed executions

Thomas Kunz, Michiel F. H. Seuren

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3 Papers: Program insertion in real-time IP multicasts

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